

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**Docket Number  
0540-1016

Applicant(s): Laurent DUMORTIER et al.	Conf.: 8126
Application #: 10/681,101	Filed: October 9, 2003

Title: DEVICE FOR REMOVING MASTIC, PARTICULARLY FOR THE REPAIR OF JOINTS IN STRUCTURES OF AIRCRAFT TANKS AND CONTAINER FOR USE THEREWITH

Group Art Unit: 1744	Examiner: L. Guidotti
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated **September 20, 2007** rejecting the following claims: 1, 3 and 6-22.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$510.00

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: \$780.00

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The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to our credit card set forth in the attached Credit Card Payment Form.

Respectfully submitted,

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